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FOR DESIGN PATENT APPLICATION**

Attorney's Docket No.

032001-051

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I BELIEVE I AM THE ORIGINAL, FIRST AND SOLE INVENTOR (if only one name is listed below) OR AN ORIGINAL, FIRST AND JOINT INVENTOR (if more than one name is listed below) OF THE SUBJECT MATTER WHICH IS CLAIMED AND FOR WHICH A PATENT IS SOUGHT ON THE INVENTION ENTITLED:

**METHOD AND IMPLEMENTATION OF A TRACEBACK-FREE PARALLEL VITERBI DECODER**

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